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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed on October 3, 2003, Applicant hereby elects Group III, claims 19-24, drawn to a method of classifying a tissue, for prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,  
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